

THE PORTEOUS & MITCHELL CO.

SILK HOSIERY \$1.29

Another lot of Women's Full-fashioned or "three seam" Silk Hosiery in black, white, cordovan and nude—these are sub standards of \$2.00 and \$2.50 grades—on sale today at \$1.29 a pair.

Children's Mercerized Socks in a full line of sizes—4-12 to 9-12—our regular 38c socks at 25c
Children's Silk Socks in a good assortment of styles and colors, value up to \$1.25, at 45c
Children's 3-4 Socks, finest grade mercerized, in a good assortment, regular value 45c at 39c
Infants' White Cashmere Hosiery, silk heels and toes, sizes 4 to 6 1/2—Special price, 39c
Women's Fibre Silk Bathing Socks in black and navy—Special price a pair, 29c

Summer Underwear

Children's Pearl White Union Suits, regular \$1.00 value, at 79c
Women's Bodice Vests, regular 19c value, at 12-15c
Women's Extra Size Vests and Bodices, regular 25c value, at 19c

Candy Specials

25c Wintergreen Lozenges, 15c lb. 2 for 25c
25c Peppermint Lozenges, 15c lb. 2 for 25c
25c Boston Baked Beans, 15c lb. 2 for 25c
25c Assorted Chocolates, 15c lb. 2 for 25c
40c Assorted Marmalade, 15c lb. 2 for 25c
40c Assorted Chocolate, 25c lb. 2 for 25c
40c Bitter Sweet Peppermints, 25c lb. 2 for 25c
40c Bunt's Assorted Gum Drops, 25c lb. 2 for 25c
50c Assorted Chocolates, Bitter Sweet Coating, 30c lb. 2 for 25c

Toilet Goods Specials

10c Burrell's Tooth Paste, 7c
10c Sayman's Soap, 7c
25c Peroxide, 15c
25c Palmolive Talcum, 15c
25c Mavis' Talcum, 15c
25c Djer-Kiss Talcum, 15c
35c Bayer's Aspirin Tablets, 2 dozen for 27c
35c Prophylactic Tooth Brush, 25c
50c Listerine, 39c
50c Sal Hepatica, 39c
\$1.25 Sylpho Naloh, quart size 89c

Main Floor Specials

10c Dainty Dolly Nets, double mesh, cap shape—price each 7c
60c Kotex Sanitary Napkins—Special price a dozen, 49c
Women's Belts, white kid, and white and solid colors, value 50c and 59c, at 39c
Women's Real Leather Purse and Hand Bags, value to \$1.00, at 50c
Women's Leather Vanity Cases and Hand Bags, a big assortment, value to \$2.00, at \$1.00
Boston Bags, genuine cowhide, value \$1.50, at \$1.19

BOYS' WEAR

Let us help you get the Boy ready for School.
Boys' Golf Caps, navy and mixtures, value \$1.00, at 75c
Boys' Golf Caps, stylish mixtures, value \$1.50, at \$1.00
Boys' Knicker Suspenders, with garter attachment, at 60c
Boys' Ideal Underwear, sizes 3 to 12, at 60c
Boys' Blouses, light and dark stripes, also white, at \$1.49 and 95c
Boys' Coat Sweaters, all wool, sizes 6 to 10, value \$3.95, at \$2.95
Boys' Heavy Weight, all wool Slip-on Sweaters, sizes 9 to 16, some with V neck, others with collar, value \$8.00, at \$6.95

BOYS' CLOTHING

Boys' Knickerbocker Trousers, sizes 9 to 16, value \$1.39, at \$1.10
Boys' Corduroy Straight Trousers, sizes 9 to 16, value \$1.75, at \$1.39
Boys' Corduroy Knickers, regular value \$2.50, at \$1.95
Boys' Knickers, in navy serge, mixtures and corduroy, sizes 8 to 16, value \$3.00, at \$2.45
Boys' Washable Suits, regular value \$2.00, at \$1.35
Boys' Washable Suits, size 3 to 8, regular value \$3.00, at \$2.35
Boys' Navy Serge Middy Suits, sizes 3 to 9, value \$6.50, at \$4.95
Boys' Junior Norfolk Suits, navy and mixtures, sizes 4 to 8, value \$8.00, at \$6.50
Boys' Norfolk Suits, dark mixtures, with two pair of trousers, sizes 8 to 16, value \$12.00, at \$9.00
Boys' Norfolk Suits, all wool, stylish mixtures, sizes 8 to 16, value \$14.50, at \$11.50
Boys' Raincoats, best quality Rubber Coats, sizes 4 to 16, value \$5.50, at \$5.00

Women's Gloves

Women's Strap Wrist Chamois Finish Gloves, white only, value to \$1.00, at 59c
Women's 16-button length, Silk Gloves, white and champagne, value \$2.00, at \$1.39
Women's 2-clasp Milners Silk Gloves, black, white, champagne and navy, with contrasting embroidery, value \$2.00, at \$1.59

ALL PREPARED FOR A BUSY LABOR DAY, TODAY, THE LAST SHOPPING DAY BEFORE THE BIG HOLIDAY

In most every department new Fall Goods are being shown from which Labor Day selections may be made—Coats, Suits, Waists, Gloves, Hosiery, Etc. In anticipation of holiday demands, and in accordance with our merchandising policy, all staple stocks will be found in excellent condition with varieties maintained and ranges of sizes and prices very satisfactory.

Our Men's Store

Everything for the Holiday—Clothing, Shirts, Underwear, Etc.

TAKE YOUR PICK OF THESE SHIRTS FOR ONLY \$1.29



50 dozen Men's Shirts will go on sale today at a very special price. They are of fine quality Madras, in beautiful new stripes and patterns, in a full range of sizes, 14 to 17 1/2. These Shirts are remarkable value and formerly sold at \$1.95—take your pick today at \$1.29.

Men's New Fall Hats are here, correct in shape, smart in style, and in the latest shade of brown. Prices are \$3.50 \$4.00 \$4.50 \$5.00

EXTRA SPECIAL—Men's Silk Hosiery, in black, navy and cordovan, all sizes, regular 89c value—today at 59c a pair.

Dress Hats, Final Clearance Price

Today you may choose from our entire stock of Women's, Misses' and Children's Summer Hats, no matter what former price has been—98c all at one price

Exactly 47 Women's Garments COMPRISING DRESSES, SUITS AND SKIRTS

Now On Sale—All At One Price

At \$5.00 Each

7 Women's Suits that formerly sold up to \$37.50, in these sizes:

3 3 1
34 36 40

20 Women's Dresses of Silk Linen, Shantung and Voile, formerly up to \$25.00, in these sizes:

3 9 4 4
18 36 38 40

20 Women's Sport Skirts of Novelty Materials, formerly up to \$15.00—sizes 25 to 30 waist.

Special Values In Women's Sweaters

AT \$2.39	AT \$3.75	AT \$9.00
VALUE \$3.00	VALUE \$5.00	VALUE \$11.00
Women's Slip-on Sweaters, a stylish and serviceable garment—Special price \$2.39, regular value \$3	Women's Tuxedo Sweaters, in black, navy, brown and tan—Special price \$3.75, regular value \$6.00	Women's Tuxedo Sweaters, pure worsted, black, navy, brown and tan—Special price \$9.00, regular value \$11.00

EXTRAORDINARY SPECIAL VALUES IN DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT FOR SATURDAY ONLY

One bale of 36-inch Brown Sheeting—Special price a yard	10c
Size 42x36 Pillow Cases, good quality, regular value 29c—Special price	19c
10 dozen medium size all LINEN Huck Towels, hemstitched—Special price, each	59c
50 size 81x90 Seersucker Bed Spreads, plain white only, value \$2.50—Special price	\$1.95
Size 72x78 Comfortables, all cotton filling, silk-oline covering—Special price, each	\$2.50
15 pairs of 11-4 Wool Blankets, assorted kinds, mused and soiled—price to close	\$5.00

NORWICH FIFTY YEARS AGO

News of the terrible steamship disaster, the sinking of the propeller Metis, of the New York and Providence Steamship Company, reached this city 50 years ago today. Over seventy lives were lost, and hundreds of heroic deeds were performed by the survivors. A story of the wreck with other happenings are contained in the columns of the Bulletin of 1872, in part as follows:

Aug. 28, 1872—Patrick Fallon, a man about 40 years of age, was found yesterday morning lying in a state of insensibility by the main track of the New London Northern road near the Thamesville station both of his feet were mangled and crushed to the consistency and shapelessness of a potato, one of his arms was broken and his body was bruised in numerous places. He was carried to his home in Thamesville where both feet were amputated but it is considered improbable that he can live. He had evidently been struck by one of the numerous trains which were switching round the place where he lay between 10 and 11 o'clock Saturday night.

Accommodation trains on that section of the line between Willimantic and Boston which opens Monday run through in 4 1/2 hours. When the road is in good order they will make the trip an hour quicker and express in 3 hours.

Among the young ladies graduated at Mapewood Music Seminary, East Haddam last week are Miss Minnie Tanner of Preston, and Miss Maria Phelps of Poquonoc.

There is much sickness among the children in Greenville and numerous deaths have occurred. Cholera infantum and the measles have been extremely prevalent.

Aug. 27, 1872—A car containing 50 barrels of kerosene oil consigned to Charles Osgood and Company standing near the West Side depot took fire yesterday noon from a spark from a passing locomotive. Several hose-carriages were on the spot at once and the damage was confined to a badly scorched car although several barrels were burned through.

The first lodge of any secret order on Block Island was instituted last week. It belongs to the fraternity of Odd Fellows, and bears the appropriate name of Neptune No. 27.

A funeral service, Willimantic is surprised to find an emerald sign bearing the word "Coffins" the most conspicuous object in the landscape; but if

he stays there over night, he is apt to be convinced of its appropriateness.

The Free Academy reopens for the fall term on Tuesday of next week. Candidates for examination will be examined soon.

St. Joseph's church, Willimantic, has subscribed \$100 toward the new Catholic cathedral in Hartford. At a recent meeting of the parish priests of the state \$5,000 was subscribed for the same purpose.

Aug. 28, 1872—The Greely men of the town called a caucus for this evening to elect delegates to the electoral convention. No little interest was taken in that they were obliged to postpone it until tomorrow night, to give them time to look around to see what has become of their party.

The temperance picnic at Thames Grove Tuesday was attended by about 1500 people. Several speakers in the morning and music by the Willimantic band constituted the enjoyable program for the morning. At noon a chowder was served and the crowd went for it vigorously.

In accordance with the enactment of the General Assembly the several boards of County Commissioners met at Hartford on Tuesday for the purpose of taking such action as may be necessary to secure the uniform and efficient working of the act relating to taverns and spirituous liquors. The following men from New London county were Franklin Potter, New London, A. F. Boyle, Franklin, and James Allyn, Montville, from Windham county, Thomas B. Whitford of Oneco, Chas. L. Dunn of Westford, Origen Bennett of Chaplin.

Aug. 29, 1872—The first Republican rally and ratification meeting of the Grant and Wilson campaign will be held in Breed Hall tomorrow evening. Addresses will be made by Senator Buckingham, Congressman Strong and Starkweather, Col. Wait and others and prominent gentlemen from other parts of the state are expected to be present. Without regard to previous political associations all friends of Grant and Wilson are invited to attend.

The Rev. P. S. Evans, pastor of the Baptist church in Willimantic has tendered his resignation to take effect on Nov. 1.

The sites for several new depots on the new road between Willimantic and Putnam were selected yesterday. It is hoped that not many months will elapse before through express trains by the way of Hartford are put

on the Boston, Hartford and Erie road now completed from Boston to Willimantic.

The total number of Sunday school children in New London county is 14,121 of whom only 648 are under 15 years of age. The number of those who do not attend school is 10,915. In the entire state there are 117,883 regular attendants.

Aug. 30, 1872—The excursion party by the City of New York, yesterday, was the largest ever taken in Eastern Connecticut 2700 people being on board and the jam was indescribable. The boat was an hour late in leaving New London but arrived at Rocky Point at 3 o'clock without accident, and reached her wharf again at 9 o'clock last evening. Owing to the inefficiency of the telegraphic arrangements maintained by the road between this city and New London, the passengers were obliged to wait 3 hours at the latter place until the Boston boat-train arrived, the train being an hour and a half late and a thousand people waited there and contributed original forms of profanity to resources of the English language and anatomized the road to an extent that should have rotted every sleeper in it. The party finally arrived home at half past twelve, the excessive number on board alone making the trip far from an enjoyable one.

The Thames National Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent.

General Ely having returned to town the Democratic ratification meeting postponed on account of his absence Wednesday night will be held this evening.

Our Norwich soldiers will take front seats tonight they did during the war. Then they were fighting rebels, and now they are fighting—its queer, but it seems as if they were doing just about the same thing now.

Aug. 31, 1872—The propeller Metis, a passenger and freight boat owned by the New York and Providence Steamship company, was in collision with a schooner, Nettie, Chushing of Thomaston, Me., about 3 o'clock Friday morning about 4 miles south of Watch Hill, which resulted in loss of life of over 70 of the 185 passengers on board the Metis. About 3:30 o'clock as the Metis was passing Watch Hill, lights of a schooner were sighted ahead. The Metis held her way, steering to clear the stranger when just before they met he luffed up, apparently to cross her bow. The vessels coming together with a sickening crash. The schooner's bowsprit striking the propeller on the port side about 40 ft. abaft the stem, snapping like a pipe-stem. The vessels hung together for a moment and then surged apart. All the schooner's headgear hung from the bow. Capt. Bur-

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tom at once sent the met and engineer to ascertain the extent of the injuries to his ship but in the intense darkness the external damage was invisible. Satisfied that she was not shipping water the Metis kept on her way but soon it was learned that she was leaking badly and the captain put in for the Rhode Island shore five miles away. Captain Burton sounded a general alarm warning the passengers of their danger.

In the meantime the propellers four boats had been launched and were speedily filled by the majority of passengers were on the upper deck. A few minutes later hull of the vessel weighed down by the heavy machinery sank. A heavy sea was running and many of the passengers were swept overboard to their death. For hours the passengers in the small boats and other clinging to small bits of floating wreckage were tossed about in the high seas, final making the Rhode Island shore. Many of those who were saved suffered from broken bones and were badly exhausted and the raw cold winds added to their intense suffering and aid in many instances came to late. Many other lives were saved through the heroic efforts of Captain D. P. Larkin and Albert and Jared Crandall of the life boat station.

The loss of the passenger boat which went down with the ship made it impossible to check up those who had been lost and probably many of them will never be known. The passengers of the Metis were mostly people from New York and Providence and it is not known whether there were any local people on board.

SUNDAY SUBJECTS

At Trinity Episcopal Church there will be holy communion and sermon at 10:30 a. m.

Rev. Robert L. Roberts, Ph. D., will preach at the Garden Lake M. E. Church, at 2:15 o'clock (standard time).

At the United Congregational church there will be morning worship at 10:30 with preaching by the pastor, Rev. Alexander H. Abbott.

At the First Baptist church regular services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. The pastor, Edward C. Dunbar, will preach.

At Christian Science Reading Room, 114 Thayer building, Service 10:45 a. m. Subject: Man Sunday School, at 11:45, open to pupils up to the age of twenty.

At the Holmes Mission No. 220 Main street, there will be prayer and praise service at 10 a. m. Bible Class and Sunday school at 2 p. m., and preaching at 3 o'clock.

At the McKinley Avenue A. M. E. Zion church, 10:45 a. m. subject The Wells of the Desert. Sunday school at 12:30. Holy communion and sermons, 7:45 p. m. Dixon A. Brown, pastor.

At Grace Church, Yantic, there will be a celebration of the holy communion at 10:45 a. m. Vocal and violin solos will be given by the Misses Lois and Mathewine Huntington of New York city.

At the Greenville Congregational Church, preaching service at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. C. H. Ricketts, subject, The Revolution of Labor, Sunday school will follow the morning service.

At Park Congregational Church there will be preaching in the morning, at the usual hour, by the pastor, Rev. Samuel H. Howard, D. D. The topic will be The Ethical Element in the Labor Situation.

At the Central Baptist church, there will be preaching morning and evening by Rev. Peter C. Wright of New York. Sunday school and Summer Bible class for men at noon and B. Y. P. U. at 4:45 o'clock.

At Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. Robert L. Roberts, Ph. D., pastor, there will be morning worship with holy communion—Sunday school will be held at 12 o'clock and Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock.

At the First Congregational church, Norwich Town, there will be morning worship at 10:30. The pastor, Rev. G. F. Bailey will preach, subject The Message of Religion to the Moral Man. The topic of the men's forum at noon will be Qualities of a Good Citizen. Young People's meeting will be held in the chapel at 6:30 o'clock.

East Windsor, invitations are out for the wedding of Sidney Dillingham Pinney of Hartford and Louise Greenwood Wells of this place at the First Congregational church at 6 p. m. Sept. 9.

Opens Labor Day!

THE BIG CONNECTICUT FAIR

GRAND CIRCUIT RACES

CHARTER OAK PARK, HARTFORD

Sept. 4-5-6-7-8-9

DAY AND NIGHT—RAIN OR SHINE

Mammoth Exhibits Free Circus Auto Races

ADMISSION—Days, 50c; Nights, 80c; Children, 25c at All Times. (Free Circus Ticket to Each Patron)

Everybody's Going!

NEW LONDON COUNTY

FAIR AND RACES

Daily Programme (DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME)

LABOR DAY

10 A. M.—Poultry, Pet Stock Judging.

1-2 P. M.—Band Concert

2 P. M.—Horse Racing, Vaudeville between races.

TUESDAY

10 A. M.—Judging Private Teams, Steers, Oxen, Town Teams, Working Oxen, also Fruit, Vegetables, Flowers, Fancy Work, Etc.

10:30 A. M.—Judging Cattle, Sheep, Judging Juvenile Department, All Classes.

1-2 p. m. Band Concert.

2 p. m. Horse Racing, Vaudeville between Races.

WEDNESDAY

10 A. M.—Trial of Draft Horses.

10-11 A. M.—Judging Trotting Stock and Stallions and Swine.

11 A. M.—Juvenile Judging Contest of Dairy Cattle.

1-2 P. M.—Band Concert.

2 P. M.—Horse Racing, Vaudeville between races, Prize Athletic Events.

NORWICH FAIR GROUNDS

September 4th, 5th, 6th

3 Days—Opens Labor Day—3 Days

\$5,000 IN PURSES

Big Agricultural Exhibit

Cattle, Sheep, Swine and Poultry Shows, Farm Machinery

Exhibit Showing \$6,000 Worth of Farm Implements,

Flower Show, Fruit, Vegetables and Grange Exhibits,

Domestic Work, Cake, Honey, and Many Other Exhibits

Will Be Found on the Grounds. Come and See the Finest Products of New London County Farms.

10—Free Vaudeville Acts—10

Direct from B. F. Keith Circuit Will Be Staged Each Afternoon Between Races.

Band Concerts All Three Days

Merry-Go-Round Motordrome Two Bands

Larger Midway Than Ever

All Available Space Has Been Taken by Up-to-the-Minute Attractions—No Dull Moments—Something Doing Every Minute—Watch for Special Prize Athletic Programme for Wednesday Afternoon.

ADMISSION—Adults 75c; Children 25c; Autos 50c; Grandstand 75c and \$1.00

Reserved Seats Now On Sale at Engler's Pharmacy

Autos Admitted Inside Track 50c—Parking Space Provided Free

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SEPT. 17 TO 23 1922